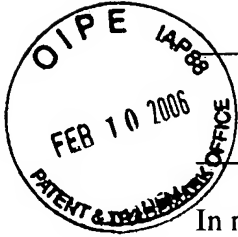


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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT  
AMENDMENT DATED JANUARY 9, 2006**

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-compliant Amendment mailed January 9, 2006, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire February 9, 2006.

The Office asserts that the applicant's Response filed December 19, 2005, is non-compliant because the claims have not been presented in ascending numerical order. In particular, the cancelled claims were not included in the amended claim set.

In response to this Notice, applicants are submitting herewith a complete set of the pending claims. A listing of the amended claims is presented on page 2 of this correspondence.